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PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 19452A-000130US
Client Ref. No.: SD 1999-001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MARTH and FREEZE

Application No.: 09/857,233

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For: DIAGNOSIS OF HUMAN
GLYCOSYLATION DISORDERS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 9630

Examiner: Nolan, Patrick

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1644

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks. This Amendment is accompanied by Exhibits A and B, and a one-month request for extension of time, extending the time period for responding to Sunday, August 21, 2005. Therefore, a timely response can be submitted on or before Monday, August 22, 2005. **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.